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**REQUEST FOR STATUS OF PETITION FOR REVIVAL UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(f)**

Sir:

A Petition for Revival Under 37 CFR 1.137(f) of an Application for Patent Considered by the Office to be Abandoned for Failure to Notify the Office of a Foreign or International Filing was filed on July 8, 2003 for the above-referenced patent application. Notification of the status of the above-mentioned Petition for Revival is hereby requested. If a telephone call would expedite this request, please call the undersigned attorney at (415) 318-1160.

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